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**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of the claims in this application.

Please cancel claims 1-7, 12, 18, 23, and 26-28 without prejudice or disclaimer.

**Listing of Claims:**

1. to 7. (Cancelled).

8. (Currently Amended)     The apparatus as in claim 30 ~~An electronic device as claimed in claim 1~~, wherein the database software application functions as at least a telephone book.

9. (Currently Amended)     The apparatus as in claim 30 ~~An electronic device as claimed in claim 1~~, wherein each contacts entry ~~one of the plurality of database entries~~ has at least one alphanumeric text field for storing a telephone number.

10. (Currently Amended)     The apparatus as in claim 30 ~~An electronic device as claimed in claim 1~~ ~~9~~, operating as a telephone, ~~further comprising a display~~, wherein the processor is responsive to an incoming call to display an image from the image field of a contacts database entry that has an alphanumeric text field corresponding to the telephone number originating the incoming call.

11. (Currently Amended)     The apparatus as in claim 30, ~~An electronic device as claimed in claim 1~~, wherein the contacts entry ~~an entry of the database~~ can be selected by a user by scrolling the image fields of the database.

12. (Cancelled).

13. (Currently Amended)     The apparatus as in claim 30, ~~An electronic device as claimed in claim 1~~ further comprising a temporary memory for temporarily storing a captured image.

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14. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as in claim ~~An electronic device as claimed in 13,~~  
wherein ~~the processor is operable under the control of computer program instructions to provide~~  
~~an image viewing application,~~ and the camera control software application is arranged to transfer  
the captured image from temporary storage in the temporary memory to permanent storage  
accessible by the viewing application.

15. (Canceled).

16. (Canceled).

17. (Canceled).

18. (Cancelled).

19. (Canceled).

20. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium encoded with a computer program  
comprising:

program instructions for controlling an electronic device, the electronic device having a  
digital camera and a user input device, which program instructions when loaded into a processor,  
provide:

a database software application; and

a camera control software application that is separate from the database software  
application; and

an image viewing software application that is separate from the camera control software  
application and the database software application,

wherein the database software application provides a user interface that enables is  
~~arranged to enable~~ a user to access personal data organized as a plurality of contacts entries  
~~entries~~ in a database, where each contacts entry ~~of the plurality of entries~~ is associated with a

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different person and has one or more alphanumeric text fields and an image field and wherein the camera control software application provides a user interface that enables ~~is arranged to enable~~ the user to control the electronic device using the user input device to capture an image via the digital camera and ~~to immediately and automatically presents~~ present a user selectable option, on capturing an image, for entering the database software application and using the captured image as an image field of a contacts entry ~~an entry~~ of the database, and a user selectable option to access the captured image through the image viewing software application.

21. to 28. (Canceled).

29. (New) A method comprising:

- capturing an image via a digital camera by a selection of an option presented on a user interface provided by a camera control software application;

- immediately and automatically upon capturing the image, providing a user-selectable option through the user interface for entering the captured image as an image field for a contacts entry maintained by a database software application and providing a user-selectable option through the user interface to cause a image viewing software application to access the captured image; and

- upon selecting a user-selectable option for entering the captured image as an image field for the contacts entry, causing the database software application to save the captured image as an image field for the contacts entry.

30. (New) The method as in claim 29, wherein the database is modified from within the camera control software application.

31. (New) An apparatus comprising:

- a camera control software application;
- a database software application;
- an image viewing software application;
- a digital camera;

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an input including soft keys;  
a memory configured to store the database, camera control software application, the database software application, and the image viewing software application;  
a display configured to provide a user interface; and  
a processor configured to control the digital camera and the display, configured to access the memory, configured to receive information through the input, and configured to execute the camera, database, and image viewing software applications retrieved from the memory,  
wherein the camera control software application is configured to enable a user to capture an image via the digital camera through an option on the user interface and, immediately and automatically after capturing the image, to present on the user interface a plurality of user selectable options including an option to add the captured image to a database that is accessible by the database software application and including an option to invoke the image viewing software application to access the captured image, wherein the user selectable options are selectable by the user through corresponding ones of the soft keys.

32. (New) The apparatus as in claim 31, wherein, upon the user selecting the option to add the captured image to the database memory, the camera control software application is configured to present a plurality of sub-options including a sub-option to create a new contacts entry in the database and a sub-option to modify an existing contacts entry in the database.

33. (New) The apparatus as in claim 32, wherein upon the selection of one of the sub-option to create a new contacts entry and the sub-option to modify an existing contacts entry, adding the captured image to an image field of the selected one of the new contacts entry and the existing contacts entry.

34. (New) The apparatus as in claim 33, wherein the database is modified from within the camera control software application.

35. (New) A user interface, comprising:  
a display; and

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an input comprising a plurality of soft keys, and  
configured to enable a user to, in cooperation with a camera control software application, capture an image via a digital camera through an option on the user interface and, immediately and automatically after capturing the image, to present a plurality of user selectable options including an option to add the captured image to a database that is accessible by a database software application and comprising an option to invoke an image viewing software application to access the captured image, wherein the user selectable options are selectable by the user through corresponding ones of the plurality of soft keys.

36. (New) The user interface as in claim 35, wherein, upon the user selecting the option to add the captured image to the database memory, displaying a plurality of sub-options including a sub-option to create a new contacts entry in the database and a sub-option to modify an existing contacts entry in the database.

37. (New) The user interface as in claim 36, wherein upon the selection of one of the sub-option to create a new contacts entry and the sub-option to modify an existing contacts entry, adding the captured image to an image field of the selected one of the new contacts entry and the existing contacts entry.